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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: STENSBORG, Jan et al. Conf.: 7348
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For: A METHOD OF REPLICATING A SURFACE
RELIEF AND AN ARTICLE FOR HOLDING A
SURFACE RELIEF

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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February 5, 2004

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 5, 2003, the due date for response having been extended two (2) months, the following election and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Claims 73-122 are now pending in the present application.

The Examiner has given the following Restriction Requirement:

Group I, claims 73-90, 97-101 and 105-115, drawn to a method for replicating a surface relief;

Group II, claims 91-96 and 102-104, drawn to a metal composite with a color print layer; and